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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:							
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4.	The US has been elected (Article 31).						
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6.	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).						
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7. V	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))						
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8.	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).						
9.	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).						
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12.	An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.						
13.	A preliminary amendment.						
14.	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.						
15.	A substitute specification.						
16.	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.						
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